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ALL SORTS.

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Sheriff M. Cormack of Genoa was in town yesterday.

Special Crochery and glassware sale at Chas. H. Kelly's Arlington Block.

Regular summer weather now which the meteorological sharps say means a snow storm.

Mr. Joseph Rooney, a Californian pharmacist is now employed in Mr. Steinmetz's drug store.

LOST.—A cubic moss agate watch chain. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

Kersey and Yerington have dissolved partnership. Hume Yerington will continue the business.

Mrs. Pountree, who has been spending the holidays with the old folks, left yesterday for Portland.

A silk handkerchief for a bit at Chas. H. Kelly's, also a line of elegant neckties at way down prices.

Quite a crowd of people went to Peno last evening to listen to Frank Newlands speak at the Opera House.

Matt Messon, Flood's mining expert, passed through this city yesterday to inspect the Occidental strike.

The Engine Companies had a great blow out on New Year's eve. Judge O'Brien carved the pie at both Engine houses.

Candy only 10 cents per pound at Chas. H. Kelly's Arlington Block. Get some before the stock is exhausted.

Tom Wren made a game effort to win the silver cup offered by the Chronicle. His wife presented him with a fine boy the day before Christmas, about 20 minutes of twelve. He has written to the Chronicle to know if there are any approximate prizes.

A million dollars worth of work added to the experience of the makers of all previous dictionaries may be had for \$15 in the Standard Dictionary. Those desiring further information or a visit from an agent please address Standard Book Company, Box 432, Carson, Nevada.

The Welland Saloon.

Whitney has assumed control of the Welland saloon, which he proposes to run strictly up to the times. He will dispense the best liquors and cigars and fine old Government whiskey which slides down your throat like oil, tickling your palate meanwhile. Call and see "Handsome Whit."

Notice.

J. Belcove, the jeweler, who has been located at the Briggs' House for the past six months, has opened a jewelry store next door to the Ormsby House. He invites the public to call and inspect a new line of jewelry and watches that he will offer at reasonable prices. Special prices for the Holidays. All repairing and goods guaranteed.

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Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup, has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

JAN. 1ST. AT PINE NUT.

HOW THE NEW YEAR WAS WELCOMED AT THE NEW CAMP.

Winchesters, Shotguns and Demijohns Stacked up on the Claims.

The editor of the APPEAL visited Pine Nut on Tuesday last and remained there to see the old year out.

He was interested in a claim, and rumors reaching Carson that a posse of claim jumpers proposed to take forcible possession of the whole camp, led him to the conclusion that possibly the men doing the assessment work might need some more "tools" to hold the claim with. When the Appeal man reached the spot at 4 in the evening the first query was:

"Did you bring any extra arms and ammunition?"

A couple of Winchesters and a hundred rounds of cartridges was handed out of the posse.

"Good enough. Now did you bring any red liquor?"

A wicked demijohn was next lifted out and the man who grabbed it remarked:

"The liquor is safe."

RUMORS OF WAR.

All sorts of warlike rumors were floating over Pine Nut that afternoon. The Carson claim holders had heard that a contingent of Genoa desperadoes were on their way there with a small army of men all headed to the town to capture everything before them.

Then again the Genoa owners of claims were positive that a gang of Carson toughs, with Winchester on each shoulder were marching up the valley breathing threatenings and slaughters, and it was also generally understood that the Gardnerville people were going to move on the camp with their pockets full of pistols and blank relocation papers.

OMINOUS CLOUDS.

The day was a beautiful one; the sun was warm, the air mild and to all intents and purposes it was like a tropical, Nevada, autumn afternoon. When the sun went down a great cloud of gold hung over Pine Nut. It was a big expanse of fleecy yellow that was a delight to the eye as the sun's rays lingered on it and caused the miners in the camp to figure out that the cloud of gold hung up at that time, between the going of the old year and the coming of the new, like a big curtain, meant gilded prosperity to Pine Nut for 1896.

"No use talkin' boys, that gold cloud ain't up there for fun; it means a great camp for 1896."

"I'm d—d if I don't have a saloon running here by the first of March," said one of the men on whose uplifted face was reflected the glories of the gilded sky.

"If I can scare up a layout at Genoa I'll have a faro bank in full blast here before that," said another hopeful locator who had an eight interest in the "Emanuel No. 1."

But while they were talking of future commercial prospects a tinge of red touched the edge of the cloud and a fiery crimson stole along its ridges and ridges like gore dripping from one to the other until in ten or fifteen minutes it seemed like a great blotch of blood on the sky.

"There'll be some warm work here before morning," said Rube Saxton, giving his gun belt a fresh hitch.

"I was in a Colorado camp eight years ago on just such a night as this and a red cloud cum up at sunset. We didn't get through berwin' the dead fer d—nigh two days."

"It looks bad; that ere cloud bein' that pettular culler, I must admit. It don't mean no good, shore. It don't mean no good, you hear me."

In a few minutes the crimson was gone and the cloud was a black pall in the sky.

"That yare black means funerals and lots of 'em. Ey jove boys we'd better oil up the shootin' irons and get ready for trouble."

THE CAMP A GARRISON.

Everybody had about the same idea and active preparations were made for the coming "trouble." Each wagon load of men that came in sight assayed high in carnal weapons. Even the drivers carried a rifle. The men, however, so heavily armed were not there to molest other people's claims, but merely to hold their own and possibly to make such an outward showing of fighters teeth that anybody with designs on the claim, would realize that it was well guarded. As the night advanced the groups of miners on their respective claims, lit camp fires and the reflection of the blaze on the dark pine trees, made an entrancing spectacle. The night was almost balmy as to temperature and the air still. Above, the full moon hung in the cloudless sky and by midnight it was directly overhead.

WATCHING THE MOMENTS.

About 11:30 a cold wind sprang up and sweeping over the hills, sent the temperature down rapidly. The men about the camp files joked and drank, but those who were crouching under the lee side of the sunned "dars, holding cold guns and no fires, watching the monuments, wished the old year would get a move on and die.

The time from quarter of midnight on dragged slowly, and some vowed it took a good hour for the hand to reach the midnight notch. It got there at last, however, and not a move was made anywhere to take forcible possession of a claim. In some instances in order to make sure men got friends to relocate and many a tin mustard can went into the hide rocky monuments with fresh location papers, so as to seal everything up good and tight in the eyes of the law.

SALUTING THE NEW YEAR.

At a minute past twelve, somebody fired a gun in the air and then from all quarters of the district came the answering bark of all sorts of weapons. This lasted for several minutes and the lively fusillade of shots conveyed no hostile intent, but the light tongues of flame spitting skyward, meant that everybody was enjoying their weapons and putting the camp on a peace footing.

"Happy New Year!" rang out from one claim to another and was passed down the gulch. After emptying the guns they began to empty the demijohns and by 1 o'clock everybody was back in the cabins preparing to keep open house and treat all comers. There was a good deal of song and revelry and clustering about the wassail bowl which consisted of pure whiskey mixed with more whiskey from that on, and the sun that rose in Pine Nut in the morning, did not look down on any dead men, but it's rays fell in the faces of a good many people who were dead to the world, so to speak, but the shot that laid them low, came from the muzzles of wicked repeating demijohns and no one was seriously wounded.

THE HOME INVESTIGATION.

The Board Declines to Make No Change in the Management.

Final meeting on Orphan's Home investigation. The following was agreed to by the whole Board:

There is no evidence that Mr. or Mrs. Beebe had any knowledge of the petition gotten up by the children for the removal of the teacher until after it had been circulated. When it did come to their knowledge they hunted it up and destroyed it.

The books show that the children have had the usual amount of meat and in our opinion the supply has been sufficient. The Board is convinced that the children have been properly fed and clothed. In our opinion there is no cause for making any changes in either Supt., or teachers.

A. C. PRATT,
J. W. WESTERFIELD,
H. C. CUTTING.

The books show that during the last nine months of the former administration from July 1st, 1894, until April 1st, 1895, there was purchased from the butcher 5,137 lbs. of meat and that during the first nine months of the present administration from April 1st, 1895 until January 1st, 1896, there was purchased from the butcher 5,560 lbs. of meat. Besides this, there has been killed and eaten nine calves and six hogs in the same period.

The Board have also decided to make a new set of rules for the government of the Home. The management through the APPEAL invite the general public at all times to call and inspect the conduct of the Home.

Cigars

A most desirable present is a box of cigars. Think twice as this line will be retailed at wholesale prices at Chas. H. Kelly's Arlington Block.

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CHEAP CUSTOM WORK A DECEPTION.

A style of tailoring is rapidly gaining headway which is but an imposition upon the consumer and a detriment to the workman. The cheap custom work or what is called "special order work," is a shrewd dodge for the purpose of deceiving the customer into the belief that he is obtaining custom work at ready made prices. The real worth of custom work lies in the exactness of the fit, and the thoroughness in which it is made. Cheap custom work is therefore inferior to ready made work.

Large concerns, some also engaged in ready made work have grown up of late and depend for patronage upon retail stores, and have numerous agents scattered everywhere soliciting orders and gain trade because of the strikingly cheap prices offered for goods made to order. As a rule these agents seldom obtain an order twice from the same person.

It is about time that this scheme was exposed to the people and ABE COHN of the EMPORIUM shows up the fraud. If you want clothes that fit and are tried on as often as is a good idea, call at the EMPORIUM Court House Building, Carson City, Nevada.

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